

AMERICAN TELEGRAPH

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 23.

Sun rises - - - 4h. 33m. / Sun sets - - - 7h. 19m.

AMUSEMENTS.

LIGHT INFANTRY EXCURSION.

THE COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS for the excursion of the Washington Light Infantry have chartered the steamer COLUMBIA for an excursion down the Potomac on Thursday evening, August 12. The boat will leave Georgetown at 2 o'clock, Billy's wharf at 2 1/2 o'clock, and the Navy Yard at 4 1/2 o'clock, and return about midnight.

The Company's Band will be on board, as well as a Cutler and those who wish to dance.

The Citizens' Line of Omnibuses will be at the wharf to convey passengers to Georgetown and the Navy Yard when the boat leaves at 2 1/2 o'clock. The same line of stages will leave the corner of 7th street and Pennsylvania at 2 1/2 o'clock on the afternoon of the excursion, fare 10 cents.

Tickets at 25 cents a gentleman and ladies; to be had at the usual places and at the Boat.

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GEORGETOWN AND ITS AFFAIRS.

GEORGETOWN, July 23—12 m.

Mr. Abbott's Classical and Mathematical Academy.

Long before half-past three o'clock, yesterday afternoon, Forrest Hall was crowded with ladies and gentlemen, to witness the exhibition of this institution. The exercises throughout were highly satisfactory to the large audience, and fully satisfied the excellent reputation this Academy has both at home and abroad. The following are the names of the young gentlemen who received awards of merit:

Master's medal (gold) was awarded to Chas. E. Lining, South Carolina.

The medal for excellence in Latin was awarded to Charles M. Matthews, Georgetown, D. C.

The medal for excellence in Greek was awarded to Douglas F. Forrest, Virginia.

Premiums, as rewards of merit in different branches of study, &c., were awarded to John Lipscomb, Va.; Thomas Reed, Washington; R. Snowden, Md.; C. R. Hains, S. C.; T. W. Heyward, S. C.; J. C. Marbury, Georgetown; W. L. Edwards, Washington; W. Snowden, Md.; W. S. Hyde, Georgetown; W. M. Corcoran, do.; G. Magruder, do.; Samuel Potts, Washington; Joseph Graham, N. C.; John Graham, do.; Samuel P. Carusi, Washington; Richard Clayton, Maryland; C. H. Mix, Georgetown; W. A. Mix, do.; W. R. Edes, do.; W. S. Hunter, do.; H. M. Watkins, Md.; Samuel Dickson, Georgetown; John Ashe, N. C.; Samuel Ashe, do.; Thomas Berry, D. C.; F. Von Gerolt, Prussia; C. D. Emory, Washington; B. Ball, Washington; G. W. Beall, Georgetown; W. A. Gray, do.; Thomas Hyde, do.; A. J. Jones, do.; E. H. Offly, Washington; J. W. Pearce, Georgetown; Thomas Upperman, do.; John Waters, do.; Albert Wilson, Washington; James Maynard, do.; W. Hughes, Georgetown; Robert Watkins, Md.; Samuel Pairo, Georgetown; W. Arnett, do.; David Edes, do.

GEORGETOWN COLLEGE.—The large exhibition hall was well filled with an intelligent audience to witness the scientific exhibition by the graduating class. These exhibitions are always looked forward to by our citizens with much interest. The chemical experiments yesterday afternoon were not only beautiful, but many of them wonderful and highly interesting.

At the convent, this morning, there is a perfect jam to witness the exercises of the ladies' academy, and the presentation of the premiums.

The closing ceremony of presenting the medals to the pupils of the town school took place this morning. It was one of deep interest. Mr. Craig, in presenting the medal given by D. Ratcliff, esq., of Washington, made some appropriate remarks in connection with it, and the name of that gentleman will long be remembered by the pupils of the school. The following are the names of the boys who received the medals: Jas. Calhoun, Geo. Harrison, Charles Wilson, Columbus Thomas, Charles Smith, Jos. Eberley, Jno. Burrows, and Charles Webber.

There is no news of a commercial nature afloat, and the flour and grain market remains unchanged.

Arrivals.—Schr. Corinthian, Welch, King George county, Va., wheat, to C. Wilson; slop Increase, Simpson, to Georgetown College.

Sailed.—Steamer Columbia, Harper, for Baltimore; packet schooner Ann, D. Osburn, for New York.

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DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

BALTIMORE, July 23—11 p. m.

A fire occurred at one o'clock this morning, which totally destroyed Baker and Brother's extensive paint, oil, and glass warehouse, south Charles street, west side, near Lombard street. The building and contents, all owned by Baker & Brother, were totally destroyed. They were insured to the amount of twenty-two thousand dollars in the Firemen's, five thousand in the National, five thousand in the Protection, and eighteen thousand five hundred in the Franklin Insurance Companies. Total, fifty-four thousand dollars—all lost.

The flames spread to Cannon, Bennett & Co.'s Auction store. The adjoining row of the upper story was burnt. Damage, ten thousand dollars. Insured in the Hartford Protection Insurance Company. R. J. Williams & Son's large dyeing establishment, opposite, was much damaged. Supposed work of an incendiary.

BALTIMORE, July 23—2 p. m.

Sales of 400 barrels Howard street flour at \$4.12; 500 barrels City Mills at \$4.50.

New York, July 23—2 p. m.

Cotton has declined one-quarter. Flour heavy, unchanged.

HARRISBURG, July 23—m.

The Native American Convention adjourned to-day sine die, after passing resolutions in favor of the compromise, and therein repudiated the American Standard as the organ of the party, and refused to nominate a State ticket.

MONTPELIER, Vt., July 22.—Nominations.—The Democratic State convention assembled to-day. The Hon. Edward Weston, President, and the Hon. Timothy P. Redfield, of Montpelier, was nominated a candidate for Governor, in lieu of Lucius B. Peck, declined. Strong resolutions were offered against the Fugitive Slave law, which were adopted, and the convention adjourned sine die.

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—The Whigs of this district have nominated Alexander Babbett for Congress. Dr. Hunt, who shot Frost in the late duel, has been admitted to bail.

Review of the Northern Markets for yesterday.

Office of the American Telegraph, July 23.

BALTIMORE, July 22, p. m.—Sales of 200 bbls. of fresh ground Howard street flour, from old wheat, at \$4.12; and about 400 bbls. from new wheat, at from \$4.20 to \$4.37 1/2.

PUNTSBORO, July 22, p. m.—Sales of 400 bbls. flour at \$4.25 for common brands; choice \$4.37. Corn meal \$2.87. Rye flour steady at \$3.70.

Sales of red wheat at 90c; white do. 88c/100. Yellow corn 59c/100; white do. 64c. Rye 71c/100.

New York, July 22.—Sales of 15,000 bbls. of flour at \$4.00 for standard brands, and \$4.11 to \$4.44 for southern. Rye flour \$3.75. Corn meal \$2.87 1/2.

Sales of 5000 bushels wheat at 108c; for Genesee, and 90c/100. For red. Sales of 12,000 bushels corn at 57c; mixed, and 60c. For round white. Rye 71c/100.

Sales of 800 bbls. new prime pork at \$13.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels, Up to 12 o'clock, m., today.

United States—J. A. Morrison, W. & R. R. Co.; J. C. Danahy, Brazoria, Co., Texas; D. F. S. Ways, Georgetown; W. M. Bridges, W. & R. R. Co.; E. Mirick, Baltimore; F. Williams, do.; W. L. Hatton, Maryland; E. A. Shanklin, do.; C. H. Dewey, Georgetown College; S. Simpson, Ga.; W. L. Popper, Fairfax, Va.; J. R. Scales, Charleston, S. C.; N. G. Gilbreth, do.; J. T. Smith, Georgia; E. B. Gould, Ala.; O. Brown, London, England; J. P. Donnelly, do.; L. Armand, do.; D. Smith, Penna.; G. W. Hillery, Maryland; and two ladies; do.; O. C. Wright, Va.; W. K. Kaines, Georgia; T. J. Horner, N. C.; R. H. Crozier, Va.; J. H. Cook, steamer Mount Vernon.

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CHEAP GOODS—JULY 1st, 1851.

WE commence this day to run off our entire stock at cost, comprising a general assortment of foreign and domestic dry goods. We are offering for the cash, with pleasure and examine for themselves, to be convinced that we are offering the greatest bargains that can be had. We have a large stock of cheap goods, and we will give you a large lot of bargains at 20 cents, worth 25 cents, and a large lot of goods at 10 cents, worth 15 cents, and a large lot of goods at 5 cents, worth 10 cents, and a large lot of goods at 2 cents, worth 3 cents, and a large lot of goods at 1 cent, worth 2 cents, and a large lot of goods at 1/2 cent, worth 1 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/4 cent, worth 1/2 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/8 cent, worth 1/4 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/16 cent, worth 1/8 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/32 cent, worth 1/16 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/64 cent, worth 1/32 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/128 cent, worth 1/64 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/256 cent, worth 1/128 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/512 cent, worth 1/256 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/1024 cent, worth 1/512 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/2048 cent, worth 1/1024 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/4096 cent, worth 1/2048 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/8192 cent, worth 1/4096 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/16384 cent, worth 1/8192 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/32768 cent, worth 1/16384 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/65536 cent, worth 1/32768 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/131072 cent, worth 1/65536 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/262144 cent, worth 1/131072 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/524288 cent, worth 1/262144 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/1048576 cent, worth 1/524288 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/2097152 cent, worth 1/1048576 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/4194304 cent, worth 1/2097152 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/8388608 cent, worth 1/4194304 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/16777216 cent, worth 1/8388608 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/33554432 cent, worth 1/16777216 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/67108864 cent, worth 1/33554432 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/134217728 cent, worth 1/67108864 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/268435456 cent, worth 1/134217728 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/536870912 cent, worth 1/268435456 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/1073741824 cent, worth 1/536870912 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/2147483648 cent, worth 1/1073741824 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/4294967296 cent, worth 1/2147483648 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/8589934592 cent, worth 1/4294967296 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/17179869184 cent, worth 1/8589934592 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/34359738368 cent, worth 1/17179869184 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/68719476736 cent, worth 1/34359738368 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/137438953472 cent, worth 1/68719476736 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/274877906944 cent, worth 1/137438953472 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/549755813888 cent, worth 1/274877906944 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/1099511627776 cent, worth 1/549755813888 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/2199023255552 cent, worth 1/1099511627776 cent, and a large lot of goods at 1/4398046511104 cent, worth 1/2199023